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To: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
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Subject:

Serial No. 09/838,513 04/20/01

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"A NOVEL METHOD TO FORM C54 TiSi_2
FOR IC DEVICE FABRICATION"

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RESPONSE FINAL PATENT OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated November 18, 2002 please amend the above identified application for patent as follows:

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patent and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231, on January 15, 2003.

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